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DEMOCRATIC RALLY

The Local County Candidates Held an Enthusiastic Rally on Last Tuesday Night

It is seldom that candidates are accorded a more generous and hearty welcome than that accorded the democratic candidates in Todd's hall last Tuesday night by be people of Safford. The hous was crowded, all eager to hear those speak who are going to be the next county officers.

The candidates who spoke were A. G McAlister, candidate for district attorney; A. R. Lynch, candidate for school superintendent; Lamar Cobb, candidate for supervisor; J. R. Hampton; candidate for the assembly; W. W. Pace, candidate for the assembly; W. T Webb, candidate for the council, and Wiley E Jones.

Each of the speakers gave strong reasons why the people should support the democratic nominees, and from the reception accorded each speaker the democratic majority this year will be greater than ever before. In his speech Mr. Jones assured the people that he was for the entire democratic ticket. He gave many strong reasons why each should be elected and made a magnificent speech against joint statehood.

He showed that the territorial tax rate in New Mexico is $1 55 on the $100 over and above their county taxes, while in Arizona the territorial tax rate is but 75 cents on the $100. That the county tax of Graham county has gone down to $1.75, with 75 cents for territorial purposes, making our tax in Graham county $2 50. That if we were joined to New Mexico, instead of our territorial tax being but 75 cents and theirs being $1 55, we would have to bear that big burden of $1.55.

He showed that while our wealth in Arizona is sixty three millions of dollars, theirs is but forty three millions or twenty millions less than ours; that New Mexico well knows that she can place her big burdens of taxation upon our property; that while our taxes have decreased in the county and throughout the territory during the last year, this will come to an end when we unite with her.

He showed the railroad fare in both territories to be the same, but that in Arizona the Southern Pacific railroad is assessed at $11,000 per mile and in New Mexico at but $8,000 per mile.

That the amount spent for schools in Arizona per annum was more than two dollars for each child to one dollar spent in New Mexico.

That a person crippled by a railroad in New Mexico, and lying on an invalid's bed must begin his claim for damages within ninety days or be forever barred and outlawed by their laws.

That their people vote after six months' residence, while Arizona requires a year, and for that reason their votes are nearly two and one half times as many as ours, while they have but half as much greater population than us.

That a widow or an orphan child has not one dollar exempt from taxation in New Mexico, while in Arizona they have $1,000 exempt from taxation.

That in New Mexico all district attorneys are appointed by the governor, instead of being elected by the people as in Arizona

That in New Mexico all voters are qualified jurors and are not required to understand the English language; that lawyers addressing juries have an interpreter to stand up beside them and stop after each sentence to have it interpreted to the jury.

That no court can be held unless there is money on hand in the county treasury to meet the expense, and that as other expenses

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DEATH OF MRS. KIMBALL

Death Has Called One of Our Best Women to Her Last Long Rest ---Buried at Thatcher

Like a bolt of lightening from a clear sky came a wire from Salt Lake City last Friday, bearing the sad intelligence that Mrs. Olive Kimball, wife of President Andrew Kimball of Thatcher, had died the night before at the hospital in Salt Lake.

For some time past Mrs. Kimball had not been in very robust health and was therefore sent to Salt Lake in the hope that the change would improve her She had not been there long until she was forced to take her bed at the home of her sister. She grew worse and was removed to the hospital and her husband was sent for. President Kimball arrived at his wife's bedside on Sunday and was with her when the end came on Thursday, October 18th.

Funeral services were held in Salt Lake last Sunday and the body was afterward shipped to Thatcher, arriving here last Wednesday. About twenty people went from Thatcher to Bowie and accompanied Mr Kimball and the remains home.

Mrs. Kimball was born in Salt Lake City on June 1, 1860. On February 2, 1882, she became the wife of Andrew Kimball. She was the mother of eleven children, eight of whom are now living.

In 1898, Mrs. Kimball, accompanied by her husband and family left her home in Salt Lake and came to Thatcher, where she has resided ever since, where she has endeared herself to all with whom she has formed an acquaintance. She was a noble woman, always found rendering assistance where help was needed. No one in distress ever appealed to her in vain. Her death will leave a sad vacancy in the society of Thatcher and this valley. The bereaved family have the sincere sympathy of the entire community.

Funeral services will be held at Thatcher, Sunday, October 28th, at 2 p. m.

Napoleon Bonaparte

showed, at the battle of Austerlitz, he was the greatest leader in the word. Ballard's Snow Liniment has shown the public it is the best liniment in the world. A quick cure for rheumatism, sprains, burns cuts, etc. A. C. Pitts, Rodessa La., says: "I use Ballard's Snow Liniment in my family and find it unexcelled for sore chest, headache, corns, in fact for anything that can be reached by a lihiment."

Sold by Safford Drug Company Safford; Thatcher Drug Company, Thatcher. Frank A. Cluff, Pima

Will Try It Again.

New York, Oct. 23.—Terry McGovern and Young Corbett, with their representatives, met here today and later it was announced that they had signed articles to fight the first week in January, the scene of the battle to be where the biggest purse was offered.

For Robbery

Three Mexicans were arrested in Clifton last week for holding up and robbing a Chinaman at that place. At the time of the arrest the justice of the peace at Clifton had sent in his resignation and, therefore, would not try the case, but we understand that before the board had an oppertunity of acting on it the resignation was withdrawn.

On account of there being no justice in Clifton the accused men were taken before Judge Watters at Duncan and were bound over to await the action of the grand jury Deputy Sheriff Lee Hobbs brought them to Solomonville and lodged them in jail.

A BUSINESS LUXURY

A CHECKING-ACCOUNT is a business necessity; and he who tries to get along without one is at great disadvantage.

It is not required that a person should have a large bulk of business in order to open an account.

Professional men farmers, and even many women, are running checking-accounts. If you have never done business in this way, and are not familiar with the plan, come to us and we will get you started.

GRAHAM COUNTY STATE BANK,
Thatcher, Arizona,

DR. W. E. PLATT, President — WM. A. MOODY, Vice President
J. D. LEE, Cashier — BYRON ALLRED, Ass't Cashier

JOINT STATEHOOD MEETING.

A Good Sized Audience Listened to the Joint Statehood Advocates Last Saturday Night.

Through curiosity to know what reasons they were advancing for joint statehood a good sized audience gathered in Todd's hall last Saturday night to listen to Judge Ainsworth and Hon Tom Fitch. Every one present expected that the speakers would advance some valid reason why Arizona and New Mexico should be joined together, but as they failed to do so were very much disappointed.

Mr. Ainsworth's principal argument for joint statehood was a tirade of abuse for the people of Arizona, asserting that they should be tied onto New Mexico for their own protection, to have guardians, to speak, as he said the people of New Mexico were much more enlightened than we are; that they are better financiers, in fact are a superior race generally. A corporation lawyer himself all his life, he proceeded to wade into the corporations. He was very careless in a great many of his statements, for instance he said that in Texas the railroads were only permitted to charge 3 cents per mile for fare, but when they crossed into Arizona they charged 6 cents, while as a matter of fact any school child knows that the fare in Arizona is only four cents on these roads. Many of his other statements were just as reckless as this one.

About the best reason he gave why he is supporting joint statehood is that President Roosevelt had ordered the two joined and he was going to lend a helping hand in the matter.

He claimed that with joint statehood the corporations would be controlled absolutely. But his audience wondered how they would be more under control with joint statehood than with single statehood or as a territory, for all know that statehood would not change the character of the people either in Arizona or New Mexico, but that the same kind of laws would be enacted then as now. So far as convincing anyone that joint statehood would benefit Arizona is concerned, the meeting was a dismal failure.

It is reported that Judge Ainsworth is not in the race believing that he can defeat Mark Smith, but is doing the president's bidding hoping to gain sufficient favor with him to get appointed governor of Arizona.

A Young Mother at 70

"My mother has suddenly been made young at 70. Twenty years of intense suffering from dyspepsia had entirely disabled her, until six months ago, when she began taking Electric Bitters, which have completely cured her and restored the strength and activity she had in the prime of life," writes Mrs. W. L. Gilpatrick, of Danforth, Me. Greatest restorative medicine on the globe. Sets stomach, liver and kidneys right, purifies the blood, and cures malaria, biliousness and weaknesses. Wonderful nerve tonic Price 50c Guaranteed by all druggists.

Percy Jones, one of the prominent engineers of the Randolph ones, arrived in the city Sunday accompainied by his wife, and they will make their residence in Globe. Mr. Jones has taken charge of the construction work on the G V, G & N. which was formerly in charge of H. Devereaux who has severed his connection with the company —Globe Silver Belt.

Dr. L. D. Ricketts, consulting engineer of the Phelps Dodg companies, returned Sunday evening from El Paso. During his absence from Globe the doctor acted as guide through Arizona and Sonora for the members of the National Geological congress who came up from the City of Mexico to visit the big copper mines Dr. Ricketts was presented by the members of the congress with a valuable silver, gold lined cigar case, on which was his monogram handsomely engraved —Globe Silver Belt.

Dates of Democratic Meetings

Hubbard, October 17th
Central, " 19th.
Thatcher, " 18th
Solomonville, October 20th.
Pima, October 22nd.
Safford, October 23rd
Franklin, October 29th.
Clifton, " 30th.
Metcalf, " 31st.
Morenci, November 1st.

H. T. Boggs left Tuesday for an extended visit to Birmingham, Ala.

MINING MATTERS

Things Looking Bright for Mining Men in the Mineral Belts Surrounding This Valley.

Word comes to Safford that the Mascot Mining company, who some time ago purchased the Dory Morris mines on the west slope of the Graham mountains, have struck a rich leage of ore at the 100 foot level in their Gold Cord min . The ore encountered was in a cross cut and is about a foot wide, running fully $100 to the ton in gold, besides considerable copper This company is developing now in earnest. The cross cut in which this ore was struck will be continued, as it is known that a second vein will be encountered in less than forty feet from the present drift. This property has always been considered good, and with development is sure to make a valuable mine.

Mr. S S. Campbell, of Boston, superintendent of the Lone Star Consolidated Copper company, owners of the Lone Star group of mines, arrived in Safford this week and is now at the mines.

On Monday a hoisting engine was unloaded at the Safford depot for this company and shipped to the mines. It is the intention to erect this engine on the old Lone Star shaft and sink it on down. While the sinking is going on ore will be taken out of the different drifts and cross cuts and shipped. There are large quantities of high grade ore in sight which will be mined while the prospecting is going on. The work is being executed under the direct charge of Mr. Spaulding, the mine superintendent

This property has lain idle for a long time, but the company has been reorganized and now we may confidently look for results, for that the company has a valuable property is beyond question, the only thing needed being development.

Fair Notes.

Remember that November 5 is the last day on which entries may be made. Special attention is called to this, and those who desire to enter articles are requested to make their entries and send them to the office before that date

The articles entered can be delivered to the fair grounds on Friday, November 9, and up to Monday, November 12. Those entering poultry must have their exhibits in the poultry building by Saturday, November 10, as premiums will be awarded in this department on Monday, November 12.

Only two weeks more in which entries can be filed. Get busy! Exhibit something and help make the fair a success. It does not matter how little you exhibit—"every little exhibit helps."

Additional breeds have been entered in the premium lists as follows: Department B, Cattle—Red Polled and Devonshire In the horse department two classes for draft teams have been added Draft team, 3 years or over, and draft team under three years. Premiums $10 and $8.

Exhibits must be in place by Monday, November 12, at 9 o'clock

The grand parade of all the live stock and race entries will take place Monday, November 12, at 10 o'clock a. m

Cutting at Clifton

Date last Sunday night a crowd of Mexicans got well loaded up with whiskey in a resort on Chase creek, Clifton, got into a row among themselves and one of them was severlly stabbed in the side in two places. At the time it was believed the wounds would prove fatal. At last accounts the man who did the stabbing had not been found, although the officers were making every effort to apprehend him. The wounded man refused to give his name.

A Badly Burned Girl

or boy, man or woman, is quickly out of pain if Bucklen's Arnica Salve is applied promptly G. J. Welbold Tekonsha, Mich., says: "I use it in my family for cuts, sores and all skin injuries, and find it perfect." Quickest pile cure known. Best healing salve on earth. 25c at all druggists.

Nelson and Gans to Fight Again

Kansas City, Oct. 24.—Battling Nelson tonight accepted the proposition of Joe Gans, now in Milwaukee, to fight for the light weight championship and the big purse offered winner to take 65 per cent, loser 35.

OFFICIAL SHAKING UP

Changes in Teddy's Official Family Takes Place January 1---"Overalls Strauss" Enters Cabinet

Washington, Oct. 23.—The following announcement regarding prospective changes in President Roosevelt's cabinet was made public at the White House Tuesday evening.

On the retirement of Secretary Shaw and Attorney General Moody from the cabinet the following changes will be made;

Secretary of the Treasury—Geo. B. Cortelyou

Postmaster General — George Von L. Meyer.

Attorney General—Charles J. Bonaparte.

Secretary of the Navy—Victor H Metcalfe.

Secretary of Commerce and Labor—Oscar S. Strauss.

The general understanding for some time past has been that Attorney General Moody will retire in January 1st, and that Secretary Shaw will follow him March 4th, next. On the first day of the year, therefore, Mr. Bonaparte who is now secretary of the navy, will succeed Mr Moody as attorney general, and he will in turn be succeeded by Mr. Metcalfe, secretary of commerce and laber, the latter's place being filled by Mr Strauss. Mr. Cortelyou, now postmaster general, will take Secretary Shaw's place on March 4, at which time Mr. Meyer is to become postmaster general.

"66 to 44—nit"

Remember your home November the 6th.

One thing certain: Senator Beveridge will never migrate to Arizona.

Joint statehood sympathizers may as well prepare to "eat crow" on Thanksgiving day.

Remember the "old homestead" on November the 6th—shall its management be deeded away to an alien people. Never!

Scratch a joint statehood man and nine times out of ten you will hit a man who has little interest in Arizona or one who has been defeated for some office.

Ainsworth's enthusiasm for joint statehood will not buy the governorship of Arizona. Roosevelt, though erratic, does not take kindly to political commercialism.

Hughes and Hearst are having a great time campaigning for governor of New York. The GUARDIAN will bet a year's subscription to the newspaper boy being the winner.

Mark Smith may not have all the virtues on the calendar, but he has a decided majority of the good, wholesome respect of Arizona and is entitled to every man's moral support November 6.

Governor Kibbey's sworn enmity to the infamous joint statehood measure may cost him the governorship of Arizona, but it will win for him to return a heritage more valuable and lasting than anything in the power of Teddy Roosevelt to hand a commercial successor. Kibbey is loved and respected by every true citizen of Arizona, and the loss of the empty honor of holding a position under a power that exacts servility will detract nothing from the lustre of his honored character

Thanksgiving Proclamation

Washington, Oct. 23.—The president today issued his annual proclamation, naming the last Thursday in November as Thanksgiving day.

Blood Poisoning

results from the little constipation which is quickly cured by D. King's New Life Pills. They remove all poisonous germs from the system and infuse new life and vigor; cure sour stomach, nausia, headache, dizziness and colic, without griping or discomfort. 25c Guaranteed by all druggists.

Joe Stratton of Globe, spent last Sunday in Safford.

We Invite Your Account

THE BANK OF SAFFORD

Solicits the Business and Accounts of
STOCKMEN,
FARMERS,
MINING MEN,
BUSINESS MEN
and all others having funds to deposit.

This Bank keeps in closer touch with the live-stock, agricultural mining and business interests of Southern Arizona than with the affairs of Wall street.

We are desirous of securing your account, whether large or small. The small ones grow.

THE BANK of SAFFORD,
SAFFORD, ARIZONA
RESPONSIBILITY OVER $100,000

J. N. PORTER, Prest. J. N. ROBINSON, Cashier H. E. DUNLAP, Asst. Cash.

LOCAL NEWS OF THE WEEK.

Items of Local Interest Gathered by Reporters on their Rounds.

Breezy Little Notes of General Interest Picked up Here and There.

DOINGS IN AND ABOUT TOWN

This paper is kept on file at E. C. Dake's advertising Agency, Woodman Bldg., 521-11 St., Oakland, Calif., where contracts for advertising can be made for it.

G. W Williams of Clifton, was a visitor in Safford last Tuesday.

John J. Birdno made a trip to El Paso last Monday, returning Tuesday.

FOR SALE—Three kitchen cabbards, also two young milch cows A. Ellis, at the old Tuttle house. 34 tf

Mrs. Sarah Hunt of Thatcher, has been seriously ill for several days, but is better now

WANTED—To buy veal calves and fat hogs. City Meat Market, Brooking & Robinson, props., Safford, Ariz 48 tf

Frank McCollum, after a week's visit in Safford returned to Globe Monday evening.

The socialist candidates held quite an enthusiastic rally at Todd's hall last night.

The first killing frost to strike the valley occurred last Sunday night, October 21st This was several days earlier than last year.

WANTED—To trade, 8 year-old mare, in foal by Meridian, for gentle buggy horse. Apply at Bank of Safford. 33 tf

C. D Reppy went to Tucson last Tuesday. He was accompanied as far as Bowie by Mrs. Reppy.

Mrs E. W. Clayton, of Solomonville, who has been visiting her parents in California, returned home last Sunday.

With a swell line of dress goods and the most accommodating clerk to show you (Mrs. Madsen), we ask that you see our stock. J. M. Foster. 34 1t

FOR SALE—A good cowgirls Cheyenne sidesaddle Apply at Mrs. D. T. Hooks, Safford. 35 2t

True and tried friends of the family—DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Best for results and best to take. Dependable little pills. The do not gripe or sicken. Sold by Safford Druggists; Thatcher Drug Store, Thatcher, and Frank Cluff, Pima.

The O. W. L. club was entertained last Saturday afternoon by Miss Tucker The members present were Mesdames Thum and Hammage and Misses Kempt Reed, Dowdle, Helen Fisher and Hunter. All present were glad to receive a new member into their happy circle—Miss Donna Fisher. After working very faithfully they were rewarded by a dainty luncheon served on a very prettily decorated table—the color scheme being green and yellow, the club colors.

If an article is imitated, the original is always best. Think it over and when you go to buy that box of salve to keep around the house, get DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It is the original and the name is stamped on every box. Good for eczema, tetters, boils, cuts and bruises, and especially recommended for piles Sold by Safford Druggists; Thatcher Drug Store, Thatcher, and Frank Cluff, Pima.

The Guardian has the news.

Fred Cleaveland, the republican candidate for council, will address the people of Safford Saturday night.

"Par on" Cunningham, of Aravaipa, is at Los Angeles undergoing treatment for bronchial troubles.

Mrs. G. W. Todd is in Los Angeles this week visiting relatives and Arizona friends.

Steve Norton, with McLaughlin Bros., leading dealers and importers of fine horses, of Kansas City, Missouri, is spending the week in the valley.

Mrs. Chas. Freeman, of Clifton, accompanied by her baby, came to Safford last Saturday and spent the week here. Mrs. Freeman is having extensive repairs made on the Safford House.

Mrs. Chas. F. Solomon, accompanied by her baby boy, returned to her home in Solomonville from Tucson last Sunday. This is the first time Mrs. Solomon has been home since the birth of her baby.

Mrs. Lizzie Newall and Mrs. E. A. Lauffer went to Bowie last Saturday, returning Monday. Mrs. Newall has some valuable mining property near Bowie, which she went to look after.

Cards are out announcing the wedding reception of Robert T. Cluff and Miss Alice Johnson, and Mark L. Despain and Miss Mary E. Cluff to take place at the home of Miss Ethlon Cluff, at Pima, today.

Mr Joseph Dial of this place will be married in Los Angeles tomorrow to Miss Viola Ludwig He left for California several days ago Mr. and Mrs. Dial will make their home in Los Angeles.

The Bankers' National convention, which closed its session at St. Louis last Friday, according to the St. Louis Globe Democrat, elected J. N. Robinson, cashier of the Bank of Safford, vice president for Arizona, an honor of which Mr. Robinson may well feel proud.

Master Once Owens, while playing ball on the school grounds Wednesday, was hit in the eye by a stray ball and hurt very seriously. His injured eye was treated by Dr. Platt and seems on a fair way to recovery.

In a Boston row a man named Milk is reported to have knocked out five men. Something must have soured Milk.

A Denver woman who inherited $50,000 has been found to be insane. She no doubt is simply crazy to spend it.

The Illinois woman who died just as her tooth was pulled, at least escaped the usual idiotic question as to whether it hurt.

At a convention of milliners in Chicago one of the speakers advised women to become beautiful by simply believing themselves to be beautiful. The average woman, however, would like a tip as to how to make the men believe it.

The government printing office in Washington uses 10,000 tons of paper a year and receives about $40,000 a year for the waste.

ECZEMA AND PILE CURE.

FREE: Knowing what it was to suffer, I will give FREE OF CHARGE to any afflicted a postive cure for Eczema, Salt Rheum, Erysipelas, Pile and Skin disease. Instant relief. Don't suffer longer, write F. W. WILLIAMS, 400 Manhattan Avenue, New York. Enclose stamp.

THE SIGN OF PROGRESS

is the dollar mark, financially speaking But have the dollars in the right place. This institution, having a capital, surplus of $50,000 00 and controled by law, does a general trust business; acts as executor and trustee for widows and minor orphans, trustee under special agreement, etc.

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Now that the ladies have been fitted and suited in hats we call special attention to the dress goods. We have the swellest to be had and if you will call on Mrs. Madsen, who is now in charge, she will take pleasure in showing you ane do all she can to please you.

Nearly all of our fall stock is in and we have the goods that will sell if you have a look at them.

When it comes to clothing we have a line that no one can compete with, and our prices are the same as the same goods sell at in St. Louis. When you buy a Schwab suit you get the latest to be had in every way. A full line of Stetson hats for men also just received.

Bring your Chickens, Turkeys and all that you have to sell. You know ***The Cyclone*** buys everything. Two wagon loads of onions don't even overstock us.

J. M. FOSTER.

The CYCLONE STORE - Safford, Ariz.

The Guardian.

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Articles of Incorporation (6 insertions) per inch	3 00
Notice to creditors and similar notices from the Probate Court, per notice	7 50
Land Proofs	10 00
Notice of Forfeiture	15 00
Contest Notice	15 00
All other legal advertising, per inch, each insertion	1.00

DEBS AND SOCIALISM

In Chicago the other day a remarkable demonstration was held. It was under the patronage of Eugene V. Debs and purported to be a gathering of socialists, although not a word of socialistic doctrine was uttered by the leader, who talked anarchy and treason for two hours. Every vilifying climax and every bloodthirsty suggestion was greeted with cheers Each man at the meeting carried a cane upon which was a tied a piece of red ribbon. Violence was the keynote of the meeting and Debs was the master spirit to whom all bowed.

Socialism has never been successfully defined, for the very good reason that the socialists themselves do not know just what they believe. But one thing is certain —the real socialists of the world are not the anarchists and assassins represented by the Chicago leaders. It has always been a fundamental doctrine of real socialism that the human race should become a brotherhood and follow in the footsteps of that Christ who preached gentleness, charity and love. There are in this country today thousands of socialists who are such types of men. They are sincere and honest. They do not countenance the bomb or the torch or the dagger. These men are good citizens and the only criticism that can be made of them is that they are impracticable theorists and well-meaning dreamers.

In Chicago the name socialism is a disgrace and a reproach to all the honest men who believe in true socialism. Debs is not a socialist. He is a cheap mountebank who is coining the passions and degeneracy of small-souled men into money. Discredited by every other party and unfit for association with patriotic men, he has dragged the name of socialism into the mire and with his band of anarchists is creating prejudice against socialism among good people. Socialism is not the issue in Chicago. It is anarchy that is lifting its hideous head, and Debs is an enemy of every decent socialist in the country. There was about as much "brotherly love" in that Chicago meeting as there is in a band of pirates. The honest socialists of this country may not be right in their ideas of social relations, but they are human beings with human hearts and human sympathies. Perhaps the socialists number among themselves more devout Christian men and women in proportion to numbers, than any other party in this country. To every one of these men and women the ranting of Debs and his associate maddogs is an insult.

POOR OLD BURTON.

We hope he will be pardoned; it will be an outrage if he is not. Burton is a lawyer, but the law is so intricate that he no doubt violated the law innocently. His offense is not grave enough to warrant a term in prison; imprisonment in his case would be an injustice. He has been punished enough.

It is stated that other senators have done worse things than Burton ever did. Is it true? We try to be fair, but we believe the statement is true. Many noted United States senators, known as statesmen and patriots, are worse men than Burton; their deals were larger than Burton's and more dangerous.

WHY, WHY, WHY!

Why should either New Mexico or Arizona wish to unite? asks the Kansas City Journal, the leading republican paper published in the west.

Why should either territory prefer to be represented in the United States senate by two men instead of by four?

Why should the people of Arizona prefer a journey of eight hundred miles to Albuquerque to reach their capital, as against a journey to Phoenix?

Why should the people of either territory prefer a single state government spread over an empire further in extent from east to west than Chicago is from New York as against two state governments administering the affairs of two states of reasonable size?

Why should the people of either territory care to co-operate with those narrow and selfish easterners (happily few in number) who seek in every way possible to minimize the political power of the growing west?

Why should the people of either territory wish by their votes to indorse the slanderous and insulting report of the Washington committee that saw in the mighty kingdom between the Pecos and the Colorado nothing but worthless desert and hopeless people?

Why should the people of either territory wish to give up the larger representation in national affairs for all time for the sake of pleasing a few office holders or prospective candidates who see personal advantage in immediate joint statehood?

Why should the two territories give themselves the bother of struggling for years to harmonize their divergent and almost irreconcilable systems of law and finance?

Why should the Mexicans of New Mexico wish to hasten and emphasize their inconsequence in their own native territory by adding to it the non-Mexican population of Arizona?

Why should the non-Mexican people of Arizona desire to be annexed to the large Mexican population of New Mexico and for a long time be almost wholly ruled by it?

Why should the people of either territory wish to abandon the political and social structure which they have toiled so long and so bravely to create?

In short why should the people of the territories prefer one state to two when they are sure to have two in the near future?

The price of silver bullion, as disclosed by the government the first of the week, was 70.13 cents per fine ounce, the highest point reached since the repeal of the Sherman law in 1893, as the result of which the government ceased purchasing. The director of the mint during last week purchased 150,009 fine ounces for delivery at the Denver mint.

Many a man of humane impulses who would not willingly harm a kitten, is guilty of cruelty where his own stomach is concerned. Overdriven, overworked, when what it needs is something that will digest the food eaten and help the stomach to recuperate. Something like Kodol for Dyspepsia that is sold by Safford Druggists; Thatcher Drug Store, Thatcher; Frank Cluff, Pima.

Jack—I knew a man who stole a kiss from a pretty girl. He paid the penalty for larceny. Katherine—Ah, indeed! And what was the penalty? Jack—Hard labor for life. He married the girl.

Documents Filed For Record.

Following is a list of documents filed for record at the County seat and compiled by Abstracter Fred Dysart:

Franco Colmenero to William Richards, bill of sale, $1; house No 78 in Morenci.

Maude Crowley locates 2 mines in Greenlee dist.

W F Nail to H A Morgan, bill of sale, $600; 1-2 int in 130 hogs, corn crop and horse and buggy at Ft. Grant.

L E Hoeye to James H Kerby bill of sale, $175; dwelling on A C Co lot 5, Clifton.

J H Spoon to D M Cansler, bill of sale, $8000; 2 livery barns, blacksmith shop, 25 horses, 5 hacks, etc., in Morenci.

D M Cansler to Joseph Baltomok, bill of sale, $350; house in Morenci.

Mrs L L McCormick to Paul R Becker, deed, $10; 1-4 of 6 mines Copper Mt dist.

Chase Creek Copper Co locate 3 mines and file amended locations of 23 claims in Greenlee dist.

H H Tift to W J Parks, deed $1; 1-4 of 2 mines in Stanley Butte district.

A F Turner and wife to E G Wilkins, deed, $400; lot 2; blk 13, Smith's add, Safford.

Henry Dial to Orson B Nelson, deed, $6000; e 1-2 se 1-4 and e 1 2 se 1-4 ne 1 4, sec 23, tp 7 s, r 26 e.

J T Owens to W R Reed and H Clifford, lease, $85 per mo; e 1-2 lot 3, blk 40, Safford, and mds for 3 or 5 years.

P C Little is appointed deputy clerk of the district court.

Virgil E Burtcher and wife to Mrs Forester Powell, deed, $93; 58 ft of se ends of lots 34 to 38, blk 5, Duncan

Mrs Alice Pomeroy to Guadalupe Juarez, deed, $40; lot 9, blk 5, Pomeroy add, Solomonville.

W A Carter, Jr, to Emanuel Palmer and wife, release of mtg, $150; 10 acres in sw 1 4, sec 33, tp 5 s, r 24 east.

W A Carter, Sr, and wife to W A Carter, Jr, deed, $200; 39 acres in ne 1 4, sec 30, tp 6 s, r 25 east.

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Every time we walk up the street we see some man who arouses our curiosity as to how he makes a living.

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STATE OF MAINE.

Certificate of Organization of a Corporation, Under the General Law.

The undersigned officers of a corporation organized at York, Maine, at a meeting of the signers of the articles of agreement therefor, duly called and held at the office of John C. Stewart, in the town of York, on Monday, the sixth day of August, A. D. 1906, hereby certify as follows:

The name of said corporation is Lone Star Consolidated Copper Company.

The purposes of said corporation are to locate, purchase, buy, lease, rent, or otherwise acquire titles and rights to and in mining and milling properties, mines and mineral lands, deposits of ore of any and all kinds and any and all property connected with or incidental to the work of acquiring, owning, conducting the business of mining or reducing and shipping ore and to sell, lease or otherwise dispose of the same; to work, mine, tunnel, develop and operate mines and mills and mineral deposits; to mine extract, reduce, buy, sell, ship and otherwise dispose of ores of any and all kinds and any and all products therefrom; to buy and sell ores for any and all purposes; to purchase, ease, hire, rent, build and erect buildings, mills, canals, sluices, waterways, roads, trams, tramways, railroads, tools, implements and supplies; to use and employ water, steam and electric or other power in carrying on the business of the company, and to make, purchase, lease from and to others power of all kinds and for any and all purposes; to acquire, purchase, own, construct, maintain, lease, rent, sell or dispose of reservoirs, dams and other structures or devices for the development, storage and sale of water and to use, sell and dispose of water for any and all purposes; to construct and operate or aid in constructing and operating electric light and power plants for any and all purposes and to erect and maintain, acquire, control and dispose of electric poles, wires, lines, conduits and other things for the purpose of transmitting light, power and heat and to acquire, buy, sell, lease and obtain from and furnish to others light, heat and power; to acquire, hold and dispose of real estate; to acquire, own, buy, hold, sell and otherwise dispose of stocks, bonds or other evidences of indebtedness of other corporations, and to vote said stocks at the annual meetings of said corporations; to engage in the business of constructing, operating and maintaining railroads, telegraph and telephone lines; to borrow money on the credit of the company; to issue notes, bonds, debentures and other evidences of indebtedness; and to do any and all things necessary or advisable for the purpose of carrying on fully and suitably the business of the corporation as herein set forth. Provided, however, that nothing herein contained shall be construed to authorize the corporation to transact business in any other state, territory or foreign country, contrary to the provisions of laws of such state, territory or foreign country, and that nothing in these purposes shall be construed to give the corporation any rights, powers or privileges not permitted by the laws of the state of Maine to corporations organized under section 6, chapter 47, of the revised statutes of the state of Maine, and the following corporate purposes shall be exercised only in state and jurisdictions other than Maine, namely: The construction and operation of railroads, or aiding in the construction thereof, telegraph or telephone companies and gas and electrical companies, and such businesses are to be carried on only in states and jurisdictions where and where permissible under the laws thereof.

The amount of capital stock is five million dollars.

The amount of capital stock already paid in is Nothing.

The par value of the shares is Ten dollars.

The names and residences of the owners of said shares are as follows:

NAME	RESIDENCE	NO. OF SHARES
Henry H. Folsom,	Somerville, Mass.,	One
Samuel S. Campbell,	Brookline, Mass.,	One
John C. Stewart,	York Village, Me.,	One
E. M. Welch,	York Village, Me.,	One
John F. Sanford,	York Village, Me.,	One

In the treasury and unsubscribed for—four hundred ninety-nine thousand nine hundred and ninety-five.

Said corporation is located at York Village, in the county of York. The number of directors is five, and their names are Henry H. Folsom, Samuel S. Campbell, John C. Stewart, E. M. Welch and John F. Sanford.

The name of the clerk is John C. Stewart; his residence is York Village.

The undersigned, John C. Stewart, is president; the undersigned, John F. Sanford, is treasurer; and the undersigned, John C. Stewart, Samuel S. Campbell, Henry H. Folsom, E. M. Welch and John F. Sanford are a majority of the directors of said corporation.

Witness our hands this sixth day of August, A. D. 1906.

(Signed) JOHN C. STEWART, President.
JOHN F. SANFORD, Treasurer.
HENRY H. FOLSOM,
SAMUEL S. CAMPBELL,
JOHN C. STEWART, } Directors.
E. M. WELCH,
JOHN F. SANFORD,

York, ss. August 6, 1906. Then personally appeared John C. Stewart, Samuel S. Campbell, Henry H. Folsom, E. M. Welch and John F. Sanford and severally made oath to the foregoing certificate that the same is true.

Before me,
(Signed) J. PERLEY PUTNAM,
[Seal] Notary Public.

STATE OF MAINE.

Attorney General's Office, Aug. 8, A. D. 1906.

I hereby certify that I have examined the foregoing certificate, and the same is properly drawn and signed, and is conformable to the constitution and laws of the state.

(Signed) WARREN C. PHILBROOK,
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Perhaps one reason the Bible states explicitly that there will be no marrying in heaven is that there will be no men there.

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ACADEMY NOTES

School was dismissed Friday morning when the sad news of the death of Sister Kimball reached us. The academy ball was also discontinued. Our hearts go out in sympathy to our beloved president and his family in their sore bereavement.

We have just purchased two new Singer sewing machines for the domestic art department, which, with the one we had on hand, fits out this department nicely. The work in sewing seems to be as interesting as ever. Sister Eldredge and the girls are working hard to be represented at the fair.

The work in manual training is also one of our most interesting classes. The boys are working just as hard and seem to have just as much interest as the girls have. We have ordered more tools which will soon be here, and then this department will have an equipment equal to the best manual training schools. Come and see what we are doing; we appreciate visits from patrons and friends.

Last week we enjoyed visits from the candidates of the democratic party of Graham county. The republican candidates also called Friday, but as we had dismissed school they will call some other time. Come on; we like to have visitors.

The class of 1910 are now organized with the following officers: Clarence Davis, president; Nellie Nash, vice-president; Kate Claridge secretary; Elsie Morris, R. E. Lee, Marion Curtis, Albert Sims, J. F. Skinner. This class is full of life and will endeavor to do their part. They had made full preparations to serve lunch at the academy ball Friday, but as this dance was postponed, they will serve lunch at the next party.

The class of 1907 were the first to give their class yell, but this aroused the class of 1909 and the 1907's will have to keep moving if they stay in the lead. A high spirit of class patriotism prevails; each class is determined to do its part.

Friday a number of the boys worked energetically to clear the rubbish off the new academy block, to prepare a base ball ground. Teams were employed by the principal to continue the work, Saturday, and we hope to have a good ball ground in the near future. An organization was affected with Martin Layton as manager, Roy McFate, assistant manager, and Clarence Davis, secretary.

HOME MISSION APPOINTMENTS FOR OCTOBER 28.

Layton—Elam Olsen and Eland Packer.

Thatcher—W. R. Reed and Arthur Welker.

Central—F. M. Layton and John A. Welker.

Pima—P. A. Norton and John Mattice.

Matthew—H. C. Layton and J. A. Duke.

Eden—J. N. Heywood and H. J. Brinkerhoff.

Bryce—D. W. Cluff and Alma Mattice.

Hubbard—John Cluff and J. H. Mangum.

Graham—F. W. Moody and R. M. Tyler.

Artesia—H. U. Russell and Silas P. Crum.

Lebanon—F. M. Tyler and Frank Robinson.

The San Juan Mines

Hon. Francis H. Wilson and Mr. Murray W. Ferris, president and vice president, respectively, of the Gila Valley Copper Co., left Safford Tuesday morning for Mexico. Mr. Wilson and Mr. Ferris arrived here from New York on October 19th and spent several days at San Juan visiting the property of the company.

The concentrating plant, under the supervision of Charles Gilpin, is running regularly and making a good record. A shipment of concentrates went to the Old Dominion Co., at Globe, on Wednesday last.

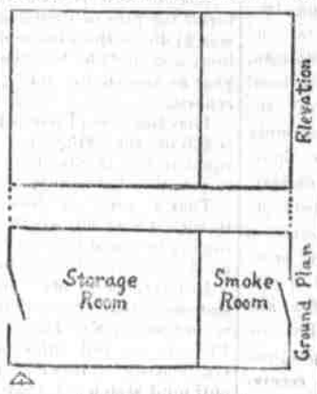
Several new residence houses are to be erected. The running force is to be increased at once. Another Willey table will be placed on Vanner floor and an extension will be added to the mill building. Everything looks bright for San Juan mines.

FARM AND GARDEN

A SMOKEHOUSE PLAN.

It Provides Smoke and Storage Rooms and Handy Fittings.

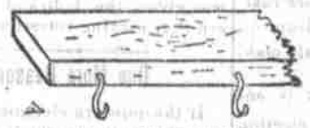
A plan for a convenient smokehouse for one who does butchering in a small way is submitted in Orange Judd Farmer. The smoke room is boarded up tight so that a minimum of smoke



ARRANGEMENT OF SPACE.

will do the work. Above this room under the roof there is always a place to store articles not often used.

The storage room is fitted up with shelves and hooks. The shelves are arranged around the sides of the room. Two notched boards are attached vertically to the wall at the end of each set of shelves. A board made to fit these notches extends from the one to the other, and on it rests the shelf. The advantage of such shelves is that they are not permanent. They can be arranged at any distance apart at pleasure or can be removed entirely if desired to make room for something else.



HOOKS FOR HEAVY ARTICLES.

Hooks are put in the edges of heavy boards, and these are laid across the beams overhead. If the board is not to be permanently attached, be careful not to load one side only, or it will be overturned.

JORDAN'S PROPOSITION.

To Hold Three Million Bales of Cotton For Higher Prices.

As reported by an exchange, President Harvie Jordan of the Southern Cotton association has said:

"The proposition to tie up 3,000,000 bales of this crop and hold it for higher prices in the face of an already established short crop and unprecedented consumption is well under way and will prove successful. Already more than 200,000 bales have been voluntarily pledged by wire, and the signed pledges are now beginning to come in by every mail. The whole south and every cotton section is enthusiastic and determined.

"In connection with our holding movement the entire machinery of the Southern Cotton association will get to work in the next ten days pledging the cotton growers of the south to a reduced acreage for 1906. The association is a hundred times stronger now than it was last spring and has the full confidence and support of several hundred thousand farmers. We will begin thus early to hold down the cotton acreage in order to give the planters full opportunity to make their arrangements for another year. We will no longer cut our own throats by planting large areas in cotton and playing into the hands of bearish speculation. The demand for a reduced acreage in order to maintain good prices for the staple will have the unanimous indorsement and co-operation of the entire farming and business element of the south."

Alfalfa Compared With Other Hay.

The following represent comparative yields of alfalfa hay, red clover, timothy and brome grass hay in some Wisconsin experiments:

	Pounds per acre.
Alfalfa	10,800
Red clover	5,000
Timothy	4,720
Brome grass	2,600

Analysis of these crops revealed the following quantities of crude protein and crude fat per acre:

	Protein pounds.	Fat pounds.
Alfalfa	1,696	285
Red clover	661	96
Timothy	224	80
Brome grass	158	47

Soda as Plant Food.

Five years of experiment leads the Rhode Island experiment station to the conclusion that soda cannot perform all the functions attributed to potash, for where soda was substituted entirely for potash crops became poorer from year to year. Another result is that soda is not as effective as potash as a plant nutrient. It is not disputed, however, that soda is of some use with many varieties of plants when the supply of potash is limited.

Manure in Winter.

If manure is piled up outdoors as thrown out of the barn one will save a good deal of work next spring by spreading it over the garden now. Here it will lose no more of its good qualities than in the exposed heap at the barn. But the proper place for it is under cover, where it will be protected from the storms of the season, and there it should be left until spring.

Don't think the sow can take care of her young without any assistance whatever with the thermometer below zero.

Don't forget that a good bed is necessary at all times, but more especially at this season of the year, and that it should be free from dust and dampness if you expect the pigs to thrive.

Don't fasten the sow up in a small pen, from which are expelled all air and light, as sunshine and fresh air are two of the best disinfectants known in the world.—John H. Gentry.

Sugar Beet and Soil.

Data gathered by Dr. H. W. Wiley in regard to the sugar beet appear to show that any direct effect that soils may have upon the sugar content is that the soil diminishes the sugar content when there is a tendency to produce an overgrowth due to an excess of plant food and has a corresponding tendency to increase to a slight extent the sugar in the beet where the amount of plant food is not sufficient [illegible]

Local News

188 proof alcohol at the Palace saloon. 15-tf

Every man is a poacher.

Old maids have a lot of rules for wives.

Bud Bassett spent the first of the week in Safford.

"Lots of things we don't believe in are probably true."

The Methodist church is undergoing repairs and will soon bear quite a presentable appearance.

WANTED—To trade, 8 year-old mare, in fold by Meridian, for gentle buggy horse. Apply at Bank of Safford. 33-tf

Tom Hookes has withdrawn from the race for constable. Tom would have made a good officer, but for personal reasons decided to quit the race.

For Sale: A good folding bed, piano, other household articles, and single driving buggy. Call on Mrs. L. M. Newell, at Mrs. E. Lauffer's, Safford.

Attorney A. M. Sames, who was formerly a citizen of Graham county, but now of Douglas, spoke to a good sized audience Saturday on the joint statehood question.

J. M. Clark, deputy United States marshal from Tucson, was in Safford this week, summoning a federal jury for court which convenes at Solomonville next Monday.

New goods are coming in. I have just received a fine line of silverware—just the thing for wedding presents or birthday. If you need anything see if I have not got it. L. Kamstra. 34 2

J. W. Haller, who has been bookkeeper for the Old Dominion at Globe for the past two years, has resigned his position and located in Safford. He will probably go into some business in the future.

A cold is much more easily cured when the bowels are open. Kennedy's Laxative Honey and Tar opens the bowels and drives the cold out of the system in young or old. Sold by Safford Druggists Thatcher Drug Store, Thatcher; Frank Cluff, Pima.

Monday morning Mr. Y. Hudson stopped the GUARDIAN reporter, while on his rounds, and announced that a bouncing boy, some ten and a half pounds in weight, arrived at his home Sunday. All parties are doing well and Hudson wears the smile that won't come off.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflamation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars free.

F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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Safford Lodge No. 16, F. & A. M. Stated meeting Saturday evenings on or before the full moon, each month. Sojourning brethern cordially invited.

LEE N. STRATTON, W. M.
F. S. BURGE, Secretary.

The Guardian.

Entered in the postoffice, Safford, Arizona, as second-class mail matter.

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ARIZONA SINGLE OR A TERRITORY FOREVER

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

MARCUS A. SMITH
for Delegate to Congress

Councilman	W T Webb
Assemblymen	W W Pace R Hampton
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School Supt	A R Lynch
Treasurer	Ben R Clark
Dist Atty	A G McAlister
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Sheriff	Geo B Gamble
Supervisors	Geo A Olney Lamar Cobb, Jr
Surveyor	J W Welsh
Delegates to Constitutional Convention	Wiley E Jones B M Crawford Dr A M Tuthill

Joe T McKinney

The GUARDIAN is authorized to announce Joe T. McKinney as an independent democratic candidate for Sheriff of Graham county, subject to the votes of the entire people at the general election.

For Constable, Thomas Precinct

J. H. O'Neil.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for constable of the Thomas precinct.
J. H. O'NEIL.

DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM

We, the representatives of the democratic party of Graham county in convention assembled, reaffirm our allegiance to the time honored principles of democracy on which our nation, our constitution, our influence among the powers of the world are founded. we also affirm our allegience to the principles of the territorial party as set forth in the territorial democratic platform of Bisbee, Sept. 6, 1906, as follows:

"Actuated by the plainest dictates of self-interest and, as we believe, by the loftiest motives of patriotism as well, we declare again our intense opposition to the union of Arizona with New Mexico into one state.

"We further proclaim our unswerving purpose to maintain the independence, integrity and autonomy of Arizona by resisting in every legitimate way known to free men the effort now being made by designing persons to join the Territory in an unjust unequal and ruinous union with the overwhelming population of New Mexico, and to this purpose we pledge the vote of our party in the coming election.

"And to secure the defeat of this unholy alliance, we call with confidence on every true citizen of Arizona of whatever political party to unite with us in preserving inviolate the laws, customs and institutions of our commonwealth from the exploitation of New Mexico.

"Under harpships and disadvantages unknown to other state builders, the people of Arizona reared a great commonwealth of which they are fond and of which they are justly proud. To them alone is the honor and glory of this achievement.

"They have by exercise of high civic virtues put into easy and successful operation every energy of a great and prosperous State; and look with natural horror on any proposal to violate the promise made by Congress to Arizona in our organic act by uniting them again to New Mexico from which they were, for potent and proper reason, separated more than forty years ago by the influence and advice of Abraham Lincoln

"We are now, by every rule heretofore invoked, entitled to separate Statehood, and we reaffirm our determination to remain yet a Territory rather than enter into a union odious to our state pride and dangerous to the peace and happiness of both Territories.

"Patriotism demands opposition to joint Statehood, between Arizona and New Mexico, and we would prefer to remain a territory forever than to accept Statehood under such conditions.

"The republican national administration, in its pernicious efforts to force Arizona into a union with New Mexico, against practically the unanimous protest of her people, perpetrated the greatest political crime in the history of our Government, and we congratulate the people of this territory that through the efforts of our distinguished Delegate to Congress Hon. Marcus A. Smith backed by the patriotic citizens of the Territory, this calamity was averted.

"We rejoice in the splendid success of the unbeaten and unbeatable Democrat, Hon. Marcus A. Smith, whose brilliant service in the Congress of the United States, is the possession and pride of the whole Territery. In spite of treachery and unheard-of diffi[illegible] ship, still retains her integrity and autonomy. We appeal to all citizens of the Territory, irrespective of party, to lay aside partisan prejudice and join with us on the broad platform of patriotism and love of Arizona, and return him to the position he has so signally honored.

"We declare for honest and equal taxation of all property justly subject to the same, including railroads, mines, corporations and individuals without discrimination in favor of any one whomsoever, so that the wealth of the country may bear its full proportion of the burdens of government."

We point with pride to the fact that under the democratic administration in Graham county the affairs of the county during the past two years have been administered on such economic lines that all of her current obligations have been met and for the first time in her history the business of the county is conducted on a cash basis The taxes of the county have been reduced almost one half, a record that was never made before in Arizona, and which means a saving to the people of the county of between $60,000 00 and $70,000.00 per annum.

We especially commend the assessor for his earnest and effective efforts in securing equitable distribution of the burden of taxation.

We pledge legislative nominees of this convention to amend the revenue laws so that a more equitable distribution of the burden of taxation may be had between the counties of the territory so that no county will paying a larger per cent of territorial tax than another; also, to pass such laws as will regulate freights and fares so that all portions of the territory will be treated alike by the common carriers. We also pledge them to use their efforts in securing an appropriation for the building of a bridge spanning the Gila river in Graham county. We pledge all of our nominees to as economical administration of county affairs as is compatable with wise and good government.

Realizing the fact that the recent salary paid to jurors is insufficient to pay their actual expenses while attending court, we pledge our legislative nominees to the enactment of a law increasing this salary from $2.00 to $3.00.

Realizing that the county has come to that point of advancement where her financial condition will admit and our needs demand better roads, we pledge the nominees for supervisors to improve and build substantial highways and bridges in all parts of the county as rapidly as possible.

We demand honesty and puirty in the administration of public affairs, whether legislative, executive, judicial, territorial or county and pledge our nominees to a faithful observance of the same

VOTERS SHOULD BE CAREFUL

It is admitted by all, no matter of what political party, that the affairs of Graham county are in far better condition today than ever before, made so by democratic officials The democrats certainly want the board of supervisors to continue democratic and for the assessor's office and clerk of the board to be controlled by a democrat.

Occasionally you hear people in the valley talk of supporting two valley men for supervisors, one democrat and one republican, simply because they are both local men. In the east end of the county is the same condition, only for the two local men up there, one democrat and one republican If the democrats of the county do this, they are making the election of the two republicans very probable, thus losing the board of supervisors, the assessor's office and the clerk of the board. For instance, should the local republican candidate from the valley receive a strong democratic vote here and the entire republican strength and the republican nominee from the east end should receive a strong democratic vote up there, with the solid republican vote they would both be elected.

Democrats, you cannot afford to blind yourselves to this situation. It is a condition that confronts you that is serious and you should weigh the matter well before casting your vote for a republican on account of his being a local man.

JUST now the GUARDIAN is engaged in printing the election tickets for Graham county and in this connection it might be well to note that the name of Chas. F. Ainsworth goes on the ballot by petition as the lone representative of the joint statehood measure. It can be said that not a name from Graham county appears on his petition. This county will never be a party to the execution of Ari[illegible]

The Copper Era objects to the GUARDIAN giving credit to the democratic party for the fine condition of the county and the low tax rate which we have. It says that all the credit is due the assessor. We insist that the credit is due the party in power. It is true that the assessor worked hard and long to get the proper returns on the property of the county, but that assessor is a democrat, placed in office by democrats and simply did what his party and the people generally expected him to do. Had he made a failure of the work he undertook the Era and every republican in Graham county would blame the entire democratic party with that failure. But success was achieved and the party is due the credit. Elect the democratic nominees that are now in nomination and your taxes will be still further reduced. You cannot afford to kill the goose that lays the golden egg, and the people do not intend doing so.

FIRST of the week this office received Vol. 1 No 1 of the Daily Silver Belt, published at Globe. It is a 7 column folio carrying full press dispatches, and bears earmarks of the paper that "comes to stay."

IT is now rumored that in the event Arizona voters down joint statehood the next congress may saddle upon us a joint territory. We have always thought Mr. Roosevelt had his share of foolvagaries, but we think him too honorable a man to carry humiliation to this point.

Judge Theo. Shirley, the nominee for probate judge on the democratic ticket is after that office in earnest and that he will be elected goes without saying. The judge has had a great deal of experience in line with this office and will make an excellent officer, one of whom the people will feel proud

DEMOCRATIC RALLY

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frequently eat up all taxes collected no courts in many counties in the past have been held for years, and criminals have been discharged from jail without trial on that account.

That in New Mexico their debt is $8.89 on the $100, while in Arizona it is but $4.96; that if we were united, the two territorial debts would be placed upon the new state, and the debt now upon New Mexico would go down to $6 30 on the $100, while Arizona would go up to that figure, thus increasing our burden $1 34 on each $100

That in Arizona no county warrant can issue unless money is in the treasury to meet it and cancel it, while New Mexico has no such law, and she has hundreds of thousands of dollars of warrants floating about and are not figured in her immense bonded debts.

That in Arizona our territorial tax rate in 1901 was $1.17 on the $100 in 1902, $1 13; in 1903, $1.05; in 1904 and 1905 it was 95 cents, and it is now but 75 cents on the $100.

That in New Mexico the territorial tax rate in 1900 and in 1901 was $1.40 on the $100 and has now increased to $1.55 for the present year as shown by the governor's reports.

That the debt of Santa Fe county is $66 on the $100; her debt is equal to two thirds of all the property within the county.

That a mine in New Mexico, though it may be worth millions, cannot be taxed for even one dollar until ten years after its location.

In reference to Mr. Ainsworth's statement that our territorial debt is increasing, Mr. Jones wired to Phoenix for full information and received the following from the anti-joint statehood committee:

"Phoenix, Ariz., Oct. 23, 1906.

"To Wiley E Jones Safford

"Territorial auditor informs me county debts reported during three years previous increased eighty three thousand dollars, buildings and improvements, for which counties are responsible. Territorial debt decreased forty two thousand dollars same time.

"Roy S. Goodrich,
"Anti-joint statehood com."

After the speaking a grand ball was given, the ladies of the Eastern Star serving refreshments.

One More Reason.

If the jointure election could be postponed six months there would be so many reasons against it for an Arizonian that the New Mexicans would be ashamed to suggest jointure to any one. About a month ago it was found out and publicly announced that New Mexico has earthquakes and one of them was so fierce some months before that it shook northern Arizona, regardless of the sacredness of the intervening boundary line. Sunday night the dispatches announced that New Mexico also has blizzards and cyclones. That does settle it.—Phoenix Republican.

FIVE PRIZES

Encouragement Being Offered to Students of Our Schools by a Friend of Education

First prize, $5 for the best school song, open to all students of the L. D. S. academy.

This composition must be in the hands of the judges not later than November 5, 1906. The prize will be awarded at 4 p m., at the close of the second session of conference at Thatcher on December 1, 1906. Mrs Rhoads of Safford, is chairman of this committee. Address all competition for this prize to her

Second prize, $5 for the best musical composition to fit the above. This prize will be awarded at conference in March, 1907, by Prof. Frank Wightman of Globe, as chairman of the committee. He will be assisted by Mrs. Norma Clark of Solomonville, and Mr E S. Davis of Metcalf, and others. All competitive efforts of this character should be in the hands of Mr. Wightman not later than January 1, 1907, and will be sung at the March conference Open to citizens of Graham county

Third prize, $5 for the best piece of work produced by the students of the manual training department of the academy This prize will be awarded at the academy musical entertainment on the night of december 21, 1906. Committee on awarding this prize are Lorenzo Watson of Central, Wm. C Faulkner of Safford, J. A. Woods, Thatcher, Geo. W. Williams of Clifton and Wm. D Johnson, Thatcher All communications in regard to this matter should be addressed to Mr. Faulkner, Safford

Fourth prize, $5 for the best piece of plain needle work produced by students in the domestic art department of the academy This prize will be awarded at noon December 1st, at the close of the first session of conference, by Mrs. Lucinda Gustafeson of Pima, Agusta Jorgensen, Layton, and Lottie Larson, Thatcher

Fifth prize, $5 for the best school song on the public schools of Graham county. This prize will be awarded at the graduation exercises of the schools of the county about May 1, 1907. Open to citizens of Graham county. The judges for this work are Miss Kate Carson Solomonville, Mrs. Eva Gourley, Safford, Mrs. Maud Callison, Thatcher, Mrs. Sarah Webb, Pima, and Mr. Alva S. Porter of Central Address all communications to Mr Porter, Central.

These prizes are being offered by a friend of the educational institutions of the country, and all information pertaining to the subject may be obtained of Wm. Moor Claydon, or any member of the academy faculty.

Notice

Thatcher, A. T.,
Oct 8. 1906.

To whom it may concern:

This is to certify that all persons are hereby notified that I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Jane Beers, she having left my board and bed without cause or my consent

33 4t R H. BEERS.

A Most Worthy Article

When an article has been on the market for years and gains friends every year," it is safe to call this medicine a worthy one. Such is Ballard's Horehound Syrup. It positively cures coughs and all pulmonary diseases. One of the best known merchants in Mobile, Ala., says: "For five years my family has not been troubled with the winter coughs and we owe this to Ballard's Horehound Syrup I know it has saved my children from many sick spells."

Sold by Safford Drug Co., Safford; Thatcher Drug Store, Thatcher; Frank Cluff, Pima

How to Kill Your Town.

Kick

Keep kicking.

And don't quit kicking.

One pull one way and one the other.

Go to other towns to buy your goods.

Denounce your merchants because they make a profit on their goods.

Knife every man that disagrees with you on the method of increasing business.

Make your own town out a very bad place, and stab it every chance you get.

Refuse to unite in any scheme for the betterment of the material interests of the people

Tell your merchant that you can buy your goods a great deal cheaper in another town and charge him with extortion.

Patronize outside newspapers to the exclusion of your own, and then denounce them for not being [illegible]

Fall and Winter Arrivals

SWELL Fall and Winter Walking and Dress Skirts--all qualities, shades and styles. Waist Patterns of the latest styles. A great selection of Fall Percales. Prints and Outings.

For Men, Youths, Boys

Fall and Winter Styles of STERLING CLOTHING now on display.

THE FIT AND QUALITY ALWAYS GUARANTEED

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To the people of the Gila valley. Times never were better, prospects never brighter and the sun never shone more brightly than it does today. We are still doing business at the Big "6". No grand rush on: just a straight every day business. Your money's worth every time Can't give something for nothing. Can't give goods below cost. When you think you are getting them that way you are being buncoed. We are not smart enough to fool you all the time, so we prefer to gain your confidence for fair dealing. We believe we have done this by the amount of businesswe are doing. No leaders. No snaps. No wild cat proposition here. The same treatment tomorrow that you get today. Just keep coming as you have been, and we will satisfied If you are pleased tell someone else; if dissatisfied tell us. And oblige.

THATCHER IMPLEMENT & MERCANTILE COMPANY

Noval Exhibit for Fair

From Phoenix Republican:

There will very likely be one exhibit at least at the second territorial fair, which will not be duplicated at any fair in the United States this year. It is fully explained in the following letter received yesterday by Superintendent Clark:

Safford, Ariz., Oct. 16, 1906.

Mr Vernon L Clark,
Phoenix, Arizona.

Dear Sir: I see by the GRAHAM GUARDIAN that you are desirous of having every one who can, contribute something to the making of the fair a success. How would you like to have something extraordinary in the human family? I have three little girls who are triplets and they will be eight years old the 10th of November and were born and raised in Safford I will send you their picture I am anxious to come to the fair and if all is well I will come. Trusting the fair will be a success, I am,

Very truly yours,
MRS J. L. FREEMAN.

The picture arrived with the letter, and it is a good one Nobody ever saw three brighter faced little girls. They are all about the same size as well as the same age, resemble each other as much and even more than twins usually do and all three appear to be as husky and as healthy as any children of that age. They are surely an achievement for any mother to be proud of and will be the pride of the territory as soon as their presence at the fair is known. It is sincerely hoped that they will come, because of the novelty and because they want to and still more because Arizona would like to have such an important and pleasing fact made known to the world officially.

Announcement....

To the people of the Gila Valley:

We take this method of announcing that we have purchased the entire stock of merchandise formerly owned by J. T. Owens, consisting of dry goods, boots, shoes, clothing and groceries; to this we will add as the trade demands, any and everything that the people of this valley want to buy. We are here to make money for ourselves and give you good service. We will treat you right. Give us a trial.

REED & CLIFFORD

Headquarters for Mens' Tailor Made Suits

SAFFORD, -:- ARIZONA.

Danger from the Plague

There's grave danger from the plague of coughs and colds that are so prevalent, unless you take Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds. Mrs Geo. Walls, of Forest City, Me., writes: "It's a Godsend to people living in climates where coughs and colds prevail. I find it quickly ends them It prevents pneumonia, cures la grippe, gives wonderful relief in asthma and hay fever, and makes weak lungs strong enough to ward off consumption, coughs and colds." 50c and $1.00. Guaranteed by all druggists Trial bottle free

"Uncle Josh Perkins" will be presented in Todd's hall next Monday night, October 29th, by a traveling stock company. The company is composed of excellent talent and the play is fine. It is a Yankee comedy that is hard to surpass. Tickets are on sale at the Gila Valley Furniture store.

Julius Caesar

was a man of nerve, but sickness left its mark and he became aged before his time. Sickness is often caused by a torpid liver. Herbine will regulate your liver and give you health. Mrs. Carrie Austin, Hollon, Kansas, writes: "I consider Herbine the best medicine I ever heard of. I am never without it."

Sold by Safford Drug Co., Safford; Thatcher Drug Co., Thatcher, and Frank A. Cluff Pima.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Procter, of Cananea, Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. Roberts, of Modena, Cal., are in Safford, visiting the family of H. J. Dowdle The two ladies are sisters of Mr. Dowdle. This is the first visit of Mr. and Mrs Roberts to Arizona After visiting here a few days Mr. and Mrs. Procter will go to the Arkansas Hot Springs.

Mrs. John Damron of Thatcher gave birth to a son last Sunday.